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Appl		nerewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:
1.	\boxtimes	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3.		This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4.	\boxtimes	The US has been elected (Article 31).
5.	\boxtimes	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
	a.	is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
	b.	has been communicated by the International Bureau.
	c.	is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.	\boxtimes	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
	a.	is attached hereto.
	b.	has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7.	□ a.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
	b.	have been communicated by the International Bureau.
	c.	have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
	đ.	have not been made and will not be made.
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9.	\boxtimes	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10.		An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
11.	\boxtimes	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12.	\boxtimes	An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13.	\boxtimes	A Preliminary Amendment.
14.		An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15.		A substitute specification.
16.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.
18.		A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20.		Other items or information:

DT05 Rec'd PCT/PT0 2 1 DEC 2004 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (JE KNOWN, SEE 37 CFR 1.7) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER Mp se Kss g Qd 7 5 Q PCT/JP03/17031 58777.000017 CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY 21. \boxtimes \$ 300 \$ 300.00 **Basic National Fee** a) 200 **Examination Fee** \$ 200.00 b) Search Fee \$ 500.00 \$ 500 c) \$ 1000 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS \$1000.00 Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof **Total Sheets** Extra Sheets **RATE** (round up to a whole number) x \$250.00 - 100 /50 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months \$ from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE CLAIMS \$ 50.00 11 0 \$ Total claims 2 0 х \$200.00 Independent claims \$360.00 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$1000 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2. \$1000 SUBTOTAL = Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be \$1040 accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = \$1040 Amount to be \$ refunded: Amount to be \$ charged: to cover the above fees is enclosed. a. A checks in the amount \$1000 and \$40 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. b. П Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0206 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment c. 🛛 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. to Deposit Account No. 50-0206 Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should d. 🔲 not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: **CUSTOMER NO. 21967**

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